

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	§	
Thomas Koithan et al.	§	
	§	Group Art Unit: 3672
Serial No.: 10/723,290	§	
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Confirmation No.: 5565	§	Examiner: Hoang C. Dang
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Filed: November 25, 2003	§	
	§	Customer No. 36735
For: METHODS AND APPARATUS	§	
FOR APPLYING TORQUE AND	§	
ROTATION TO CONNECTIONS	§	

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Dear Sir:

**SECOND AFTER-ALLOWANCE AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.312**

Please enter this amendment. Although Applicants believe there are no fees due in connection with this amendment, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/WEAT/0310.P1/WBP for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this amendment timely and acceptable to the Office.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper. **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 10 of this paper.